

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please amend Paragraph [73] as follows:

[73] On entry to the standby mode, the first page of the memory is used as test page (Ntest equals zero; step 30). The variables N, P and q are also initialized to zero (step 31). As indicated hereinabove, the refresh period Tref is set to the minimum value, corresponding to the maximum temperature of use of the system. When P is equal to Pmax, that is to say when all the test words have been written to the buffer memory CH0 (step 32), the content of the buffer memory CH0 is transferred (step 33) into the test page of the memory MMV.